

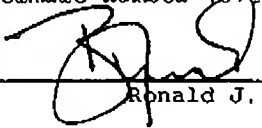
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated
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2010, was a Saturday and January 18, 2010, was a Federal holiday
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Please amend the application as directed below and consider
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